

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Rain Shadow Areas Development Department. – Cloud Seeding Operations – Continuation of Cloud Seeding Operations in Rain Shadow Districts – Constitution of Tender Committee for the year 2009-10 – Orders – Issued.

RAIN SHADOW AREAS DEVELOPMENT (RS.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms. No.1

Dated:09-06-2009
Read the following

1. G.O.Ms.No.10, RSAD (RS.II) Department, dated 21-07-2008.
2. G.O.Ms.No.4, RSAD (RS.II) Department, dated: 29-03-2008.
3. From the Coordinator, CASWMT, JNTU, Hyderabad, Letter No. Nil, Dated: 25-05-2009

ORDER

Government of Andhra Pradesh has initiated Cloud Seeding Operations in the Rain Shadow Districts in the State of Andhra Pradesh with a view to mitigate Water Scarcity from 2004. From the year 2005-06 the monitoring and evaluation work of the Cloud Seeding Operations has been entrusted to the Center for Atmospheric Sciences and Weather Modification Technology (C.A.S.W.M.T.), J.N.T.U. Hyderabad.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Coordinator, CASWMT, JNTU, Hyderabad has submitted a proposal for carrying out the Cloud Seeding Operations for the next year in the State, i.e. 2009-10 in the RSAD Districts as decided by the Government and requested to issue necessary orders in the matter.
3. Government after careful examination hereby constitute the Tender Committee with the following members for finalizing the tenders and to recommend the eligible agency to take up the Cloud Seeding Operations for the year 2009-2010.

1	Principal Secretary / Secretary to Government RSAD Department.	Chairman
2	Commissioner Disaster Management & E.O. Principal Secretary to Government, Revenue (D.M) Department.	Member
3	Principal Secretary to Government Agriculture Department or in his absence Commissioner Agriculture.	Member
4	Principal Secretary / Secretary to Government, Finance Department or his nominee.	Member
5	Director, Science & Technology.	Member
6	Director General, WALAMTARI	Member
7	Director, IMD, Hyderabad.	Member
8	A representative of Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology (IITM), PUNE.	Member
9	The Coordinator CASWMT, J.N.T.U. Hyderabad.	Member

4. The Tender Committee shall call for the Global Tenders for the Cloud Seeding Programme, dully following the transparent process as per the prescribed norms and rules.
5. The detailed bid document shall be prepared by the Coordinator, Center for Atmospheric Sciences and Weather Modification Technology, J.N.T.U. and submit to the Tender Committee for its approval before calling the Global Tenders.
6. Tender Committee shall thereafter decide the further course of action regarding finalization of tenders and finally recommend the name of eligible agency to take up Cloud Seeding.

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7. The Coordinator, CASWMT, J.N.T.U, Hyderabad and the Member of the Tender Committee shall take immediate action in the matter.

8. The G.O. is also available on Internet and can be accessed at the address <http://goir.ap.gov.in>.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**R.S. GOEL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Chairman & All Members of the Tender Committee through the Coordinator,

CASWMT, J.N.T.U, Hyderabad.

The Coordinator (I/c.), CASWMT, J.N.T.U, Kukatpally, Hyderabad.

The Vice Chancellor J.N.T.U, Hyderabad.

Copy to

The Finance (Budget Exp. A&C) Department.

The P.S. to Spl. Secretary to C.M.

The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government.

The P.S. to Minister for (A.H.S. & RSAD).

The P.S. to Prl. Secretary, RSAD Department

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SECTION OFFICER